

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

October 13, 2014



Applegate Incident, Vegetation Fire, Placer County – Air carrier dropping flame retardant

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National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



SITUATION SUMMARY

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

Happy Camp District, Klamath National Forest

FRA

Per Cal Fire, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of [10/12/14 at 1742 hours](#):

- [133,383](#) acres, 97% contained
- Type 3 IC
- Expected Containment: 10/31/14
- Damaged Structures: 2 Other Minor Structures
- Destroyed Structures: 2 Single Residences, 4 Other Minor Structures
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Applegate Incident, Vegetation Fire, Placer County

Eastbound Interstate 80 at Applegate, Placer County

SRA

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- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was approved. FEMA Declaration Number FM-5082.
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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Dog Rock Incident, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County

Hwy 140 at Indian Creek, El Portal Community, Mariposa County
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Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

High pressure will allow dry weather and above normal inland temperatures to continue today. A front will move across northwest California on Tuesday bringing wet and cooler weather into Wednesday. This will be followed by a brief break on Thursday with more rain possible Friday and Saturday.

San Francisco Weather:

A cooling trend will begin today but with afternoon highs at many locations, it will still be significantly warmer than seasonal normal. Fog and low clouds will spread from south to north up the coast today and this evening. Rapid deepening of the marine layer will occur tonight as an upper level trough approaches from the west. Tuesday will be much cooler with widespread morning low cloudiness and possible coastal drizzle or even light rain. Light rain chances then increase from the north and spread across much of the region on Tuesday night. Dry weather is forecast from late Wednesday through Thursday. More rain is possible by Friday.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

The forecast area will have above normal temperatures and low humidities today. Cooler, breezy and gusty southerly winds on Tuesday with precipitation possible late Tuesday into Wednesday. Another system will bring a threat of precipitation Friday into Saturday.

Hanford Weather:

Mostly clear skies with above average temperatures will continue today. A cooling trend will begin Tuesday and continue through the end of the work week. Gustly winds on the south end of the San Joaquin Valley are possible on Monday and on the west side of the valley Tuesday evening through Wednesday morning.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Warm weather will continue through Columbus Day due to weak offshore flow and high pressure aloft. A cooling trend and increase in clouds is then likely through midweek as a trough of low pressure approaches from the northwest. Temperatures will likely return to near normal by the end of the week as high pressure returns.

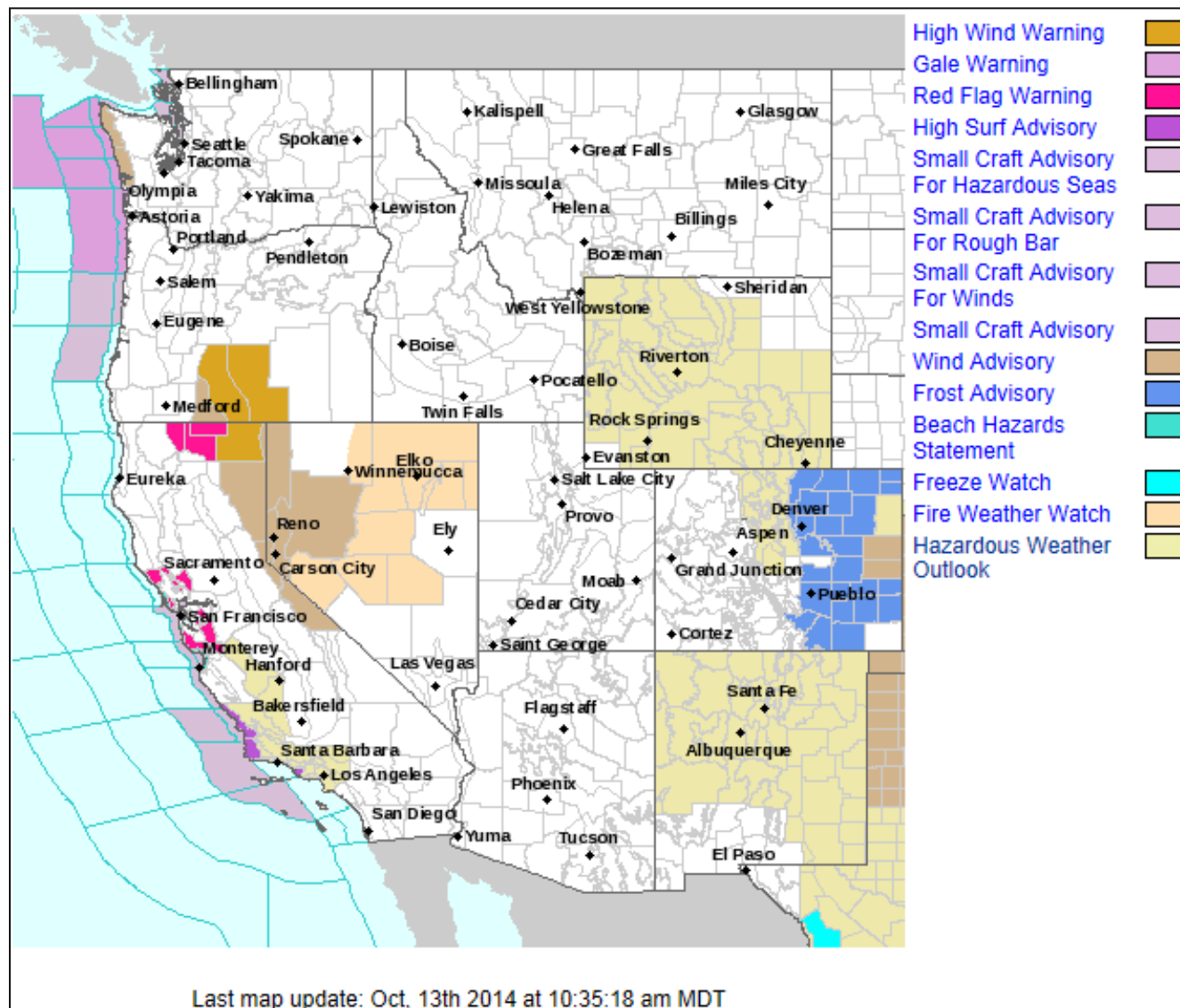
Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

Surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring gusty northeast winds this morning near the coastal foothills and lower inland humidities today. Onshore flow will return tonight and increase through midweek. A cooling trend will develop west of the mountains on Tuesday and spread inland Wednesday with slightly below average high temperatures continuing into next weekend. The marine layer will deepen into the inland valleys by Wednesday morning, then may decrease some in depth during next weekend.

Southeast California Weather:

There will be at least a few degrees of cooling today behind a dry cool front along with breezy to locally windy conditions. Occasional high clouds will pass through the region this week as weather disturbances pass through the west. Otherwise, mostly clear skies and dry weather are expected across the region this week along with minor fluctuations in temperatures.

STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

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Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

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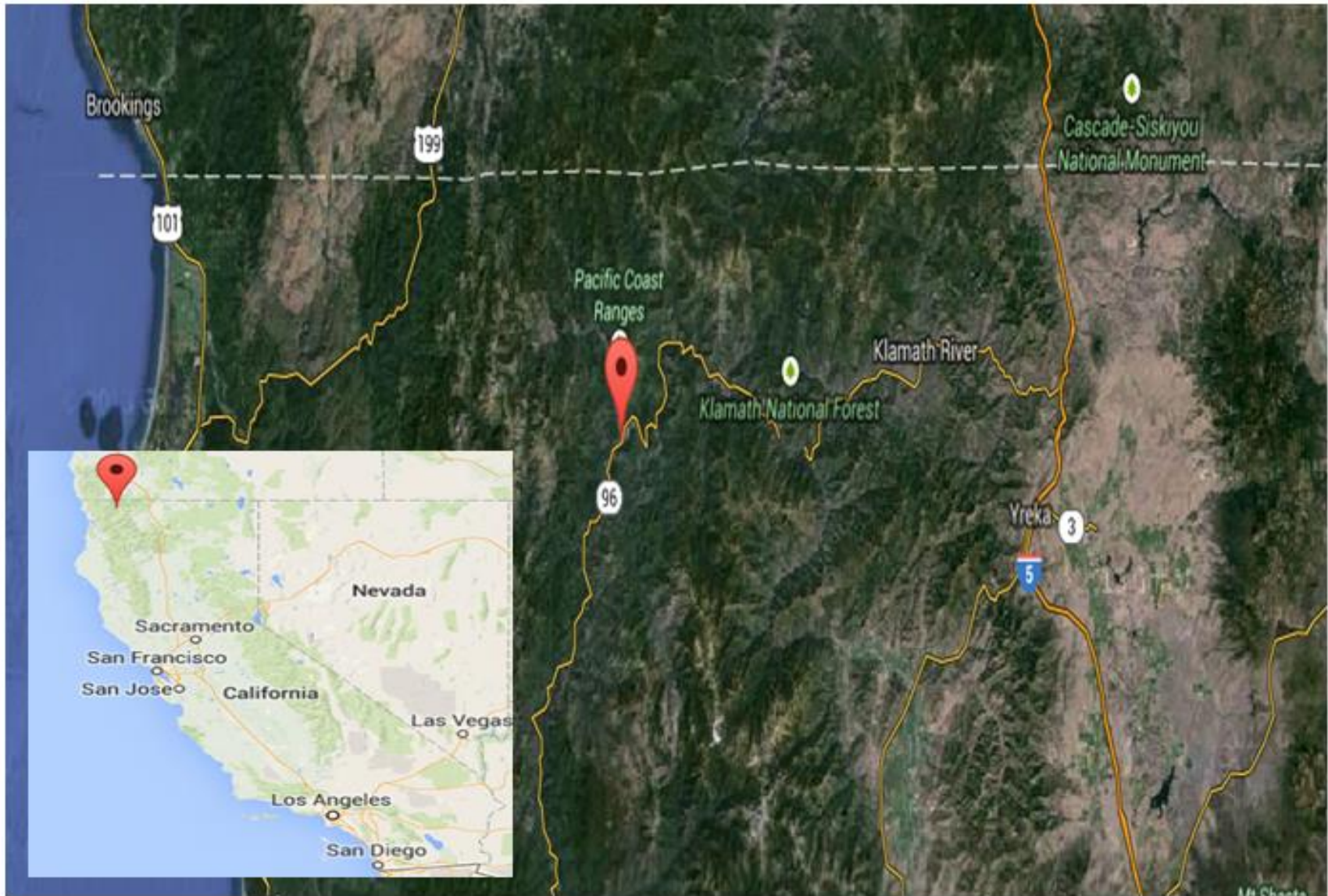
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- Total Personnel – [111](#)

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Evacuations

The following areas under an Evacuation Warning were lifted effective 1200 hours, 10/12/14:

- All areas and roads north of the burn area and including Sun Valley Road, Kelly Mountain Road and Bridger Trail, and east towards the American River.

The following areas under an Evacuation Order (Mandatory) were reduced to an Evacuation Warning effective 1200 hours, 10/12/14:

- All areas and roads east of the railroad tracks between Applegate Road and Paoli Lane within the burn area southeast to the American River.

The following areas remain under an Evacuation Warning:

- All areas and roads from Interstate 80 at Applegate Road south to Hidden Meadow Way, extending east to the American River, south of the burn area.

Shelters

- None

FIRE ACTIVITY



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Road Closures

- All lanes of Interstate 80 are open with no restrictions.
- All road closures in and around the Applegate fire have been lifted.

Critical Infrastructure

- Union Pacific rail inspections have been completed; trains are running at normal speed through the area.
- PG&E has re-energized powerlines in the area.
- The California Utilizes Emergency Association (CUEA) reports:
 - There is no present threat to power infrastructure.
 - There is a potential threat to the Placer County Water Treatment Plant.
 - In response to cell phone tower overload issues in Auburn, Colfax, and Foresthill, Verizon Wireless expanded their capacity, solving the overload issues.
- A Kinder Morgan interstate pipeline runs parallel to rail road tracks in the area of the fire. A Kinder Morgan representative responded to scene and advised the State Fire Marshall's Office that the fire was burning away from the area and the line would resume operation. There is no threat to the pipeline.

Cal OES Deployments

- Two (2) PSC Technicians are assigned.

Activations

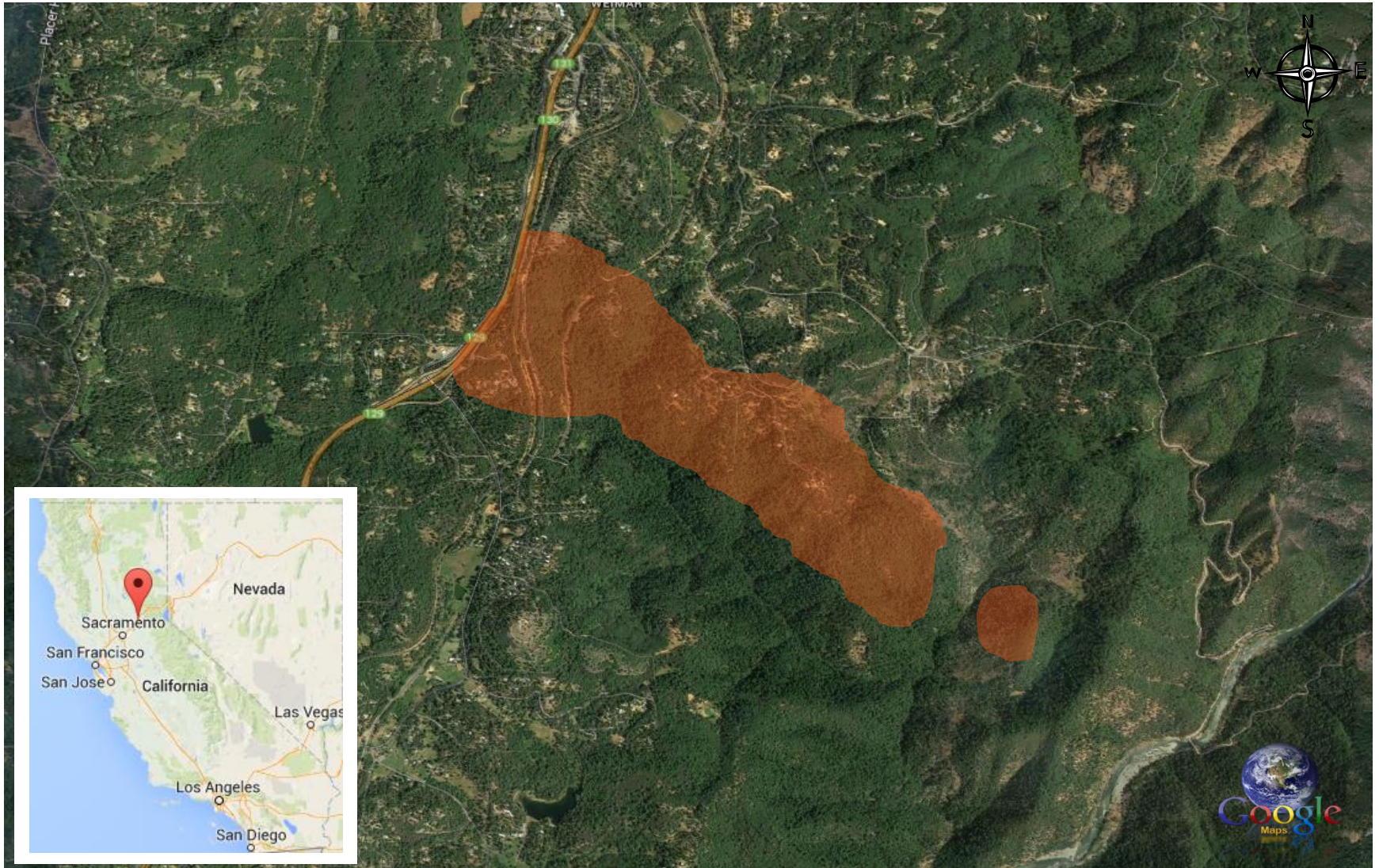
- Placer County EOC at Duty Officer Status.
- The Cal OES Inland Region is activated at Level 1 in support of Placer County.

Mission Tasking

- **2014-INLAND-7081** (Nevada County) – One (1) air monitor supplied by California Air Resources Board. On-scene.

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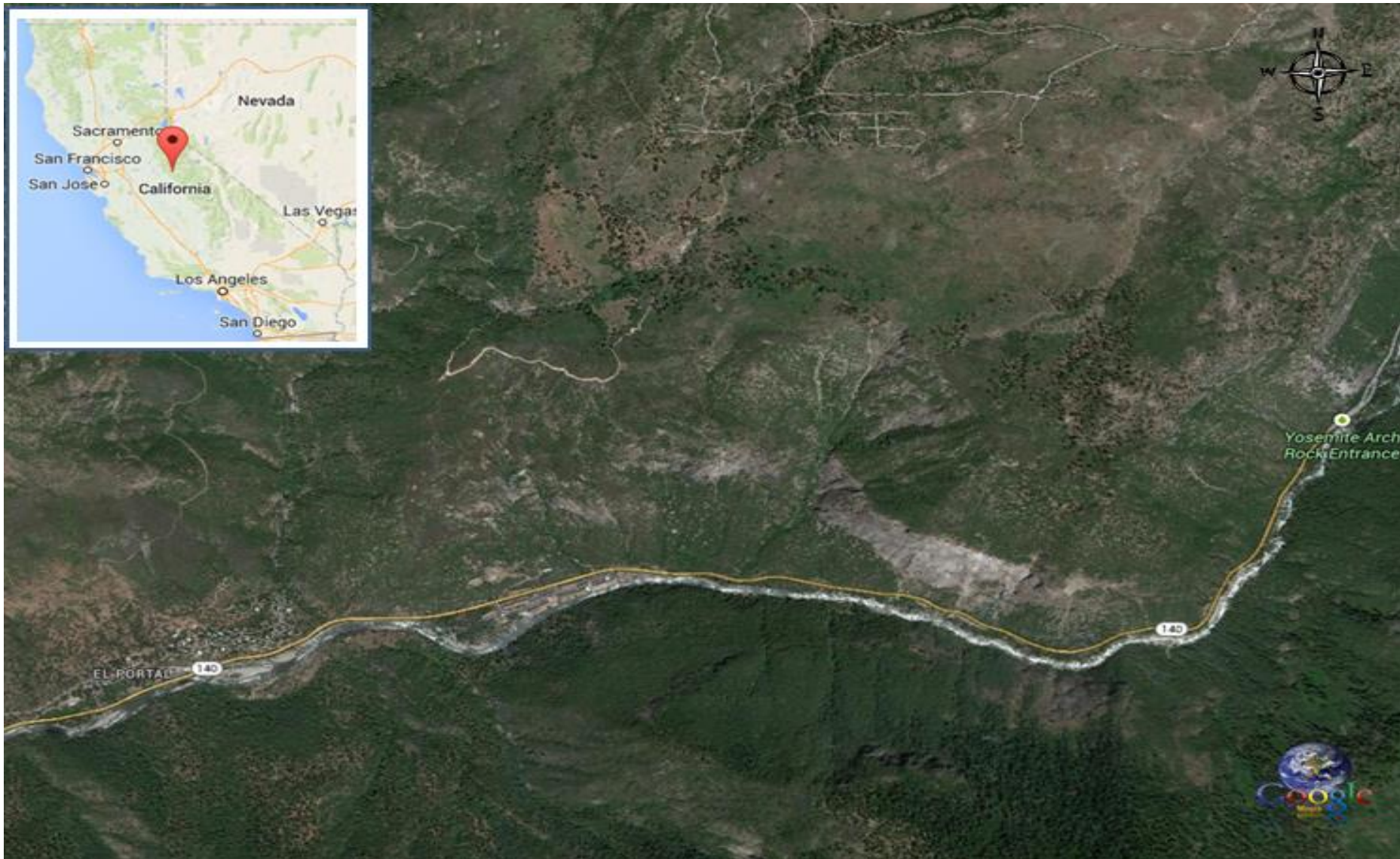
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RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Recovery Activities

- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. In addition, a Disaster Loan Outreach Center opened Wednesday, 10/01/14, at 1200 hours, located at the College of the Siskiyou's Life Science Building 3, Room LS-1, 800 College Avenue, Weed, California 96094, Mondays – Fridays, 0900 – 1800 hours (Closed 10/13/14 for Columbus Day). Notification letters have been distributed.
- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal.
- Non-food items have transitioned from the Salvation Army to a collaboration of four non-profit agencies that will be involved in the distribution of items such as baby clothes, diapers, clothing, etc.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. On 10/03/14, the Cal OES VAL attended a Long Term Recovery meeting. A mission statement and bi-laws for the long term recovery group were presented, officers were identified, and leads for several committees were formed. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group and a meeting with agencies that have accepted donations will be held on 10/10/14. Northern California VOAD is supporting the group with long term recovery efforts.
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at <http://www.siskiyou.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf>.
- Food donations are being accepted at 310 Boles Street.
- On 10/02/14, Cal OES Recovery and City staff inspected the City's water system to determine a full Scope of Work, which will be presented, along with the construction contract, to the City Council for approval on 10/09/14.
- Only one family has expressed interest in the temporary sheltering program; the City and family are reviewing the options with no commitment from either side yet.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Cal Recycle reports:

Air monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community.

2,842.14 total tons of debris have been removed as of day 10 of operations. (66.69 tons of metal delivered for recycling; 1,279.70 tons of concrete delivered for recycling; and 2,101.35 tons of debris, ash and soil delivered for disposal)

The Numbers as of Day 10

- 131 Sites registered for the removal project (Right-of-Entry, includes library, community center and 2 churches).
- 10 Sites denied entry.
- 91 Sites documented.
- 80 Asbestos surveys completed.
- 43 Sites with asbestos containing material.
- 31 Sites cleared of asbestos containing material.
- 23 Debris removal completed.
- 0 Sites sampled.
- 0 Sample results approved.
- 0 Erosion control completed.
- 0 Approved by City of Weed as ready for a building permit.

Cal OES Deployments

- Four (4) Cal OES Recovery staff are assigned.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

Recovery Activities

- Based on a request for additional IA information for the major disaster declaration request, IA teams conducted PDAs 09/08/14 through 09/12/14 in Napa County, the City of Vallejo, and Solano County IA PDA teams conducted additional PDAs 09/17/14 through 09/19/14 finalizing PDAs in Napa County. The Presidential Declaration request letter along with supplement information was forwarded to FEMA for consideration.
- The deadline for potential applicants to submit the Request for Public Assistance to be considered for reimbursement for this event is 10/24/14. **Fifty-four (54)** RPAs have been received to date. **Eighteen (18)** kick off meetings have been completed and **eight (8)** kick-off meetings have been scheduled for this week and next week.
- The Napa Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. Due to the absence of local faith based and other organizations that may have resources, Solano VOAD will reach out to expand the engagement of additional nonprofit and faith based partners. Once the organizations are identified, a follow up meeting will be held in hopes of identifying key leaders interested in forming a LTR committee.
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). The LAC is open until further notice.
- A joint area field office located at the McKinley Building, 180 California Drive, Veterans Home of California, Yountville, 94599 opened 10/03/2014.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours, or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- Provided CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions to Regions for reference and distribution.
- A conference call is being scheduled, for Cal OES, DWR, SWRCB and Tulare County to discuss drought assistance programs.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.